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LOST—On Friday afternoon, a small gold buckle attached to piece of black elastic. Finder will be rewarded upon leaving the same at the Colonist office. ap22

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The partnership heretofore existing between M. G. Drummond and F. L. M. Beaumont, carrying on business as Stock-raisers, under the firm name of Beaument & Drummond, at Chilcotin, British Columbia, was on the 15th November, 1893, dissolved by mutual consent.

All claims against the late firm to be sent to M. G. Drummond, Chilcotin Ranch, Chilcotin, B.C. ap27-10t

I. O. O. F.

All members of the I. O. O. F. are requested to meet at the Hall, Douglas Street, at 1 o'clock p.m.

On Saturday, 28th Inst.

For the purpose of attending the celebration of the 75th Anniversary of the Order.

By order of the Committee.

W. F. McKENZIE,
Secretary.

(Times copy)

NOTICE.

Lease of Timber Limits. Takush Harbour, Smith's Sound.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Monday, the 21st May next, from any person, persons or corporation duly authorized in that behalf, for permission to lease the undermentioned lands for the purpose of cutting spars, timber or lumber, subject to the provisions of the "Land Act," and amendments thereto, viz:—

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W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 25th April, 1891. ap27

THE Band of the British Columbia Garrison Artillery is open for engagements. Applications in writing may be made to the
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INDUSTRIAL ARMY.

Capture of Three Hundred Train Stealers Who are Held for Trial.

The Oakland and San Francisco Contingents Make Up Their Differences and Unite.

FORSYTHE, Mont., April 16.—Although Col. Page and his United States regulars moved with great caution in capturing the Montana Coxey army, this morning, nearly 100 of the train stealers escaped to the woods. Those captured made no resistance whatever. The number of those taken by the detachment of the 22nd regiment was 331, including "Gen" Hogan, Engineer Harmon and Fireman Brady. The commonwealers were poorly armed only three revolvers being found. Three of the men were slightly wounded, their injuries having been received in the skirmish at Billings at noon yesterday. Seventy-five deputy U.S. marshals arrived here during the afternoon and the Hogan contingent of Coxey's army was turned over to them. The train in charge of the marshals, escorted by a detachment of the 22nd regiment, started for Helena this evening. The prisoners will be arraigned in the U S. District court there without delay on the charge of theft of a train and disobedience of an injunction. The general belief is that only six or eight of the leaders will be held and the remainder will be hauled back to Butte and set at liberty.

OAKLAND, April 26.—The two industrial armies, one originating in San Francisco and the one here, which pulled apart yesterday have united to-day. They elected Dr. Smith as their Lieut General and commander-in chief. Provisions are running short and to-day about thirty solicitors with cards in their hats and gunny sacks in their hands went out to make a house to house canvass for food, meeting with some success.

PREHISTORIC RACES.

Mummies of a Race Older Than the Cliff Dwellers Discovered in Southeastern Utah.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 25.—Charles A. Lang, an explorer from Pittsburg, and Robert Allen and J. P. Neilson, of San Juan county, Utah, have arrived in this city with seven well-preserved mummies, discovered by them beneath the ruins of cliff dwellers' houses in Southeastern Utah. This is the most important discovery of prehistoric remains ever made in that wild and inaccessible region. These mummies are in an extraordinary state of preservation, which is accounted for by the entire absence of moisture from the atmosphere and earth in that district. Among the collection is a male of giant stature, two females and two boys. They are not bodies of the cliff dwellers, but some race who lived before them, as they were found beneath the ruins of the cliff dwellers' habitations, and their hair is reddish instead of black, as with the cliff dwellers. Besides, the skulls are shaped like the Caucasian, instead of flattened at the back, like the skulls of the cliff dwellers. The bodies were covered with a very curious matting or blanket of wool and feathers, then packed around with cedar bark. With them were found evidences of the existence of hundreds of turkeys. So well preserved are the bodies that it could be told that one boy met a violent death. The moustache is still on the face of the giant, and the course of a vein may be traced in the arm of the woman. Local scientists are greatly interested, and all agree that they are the bodies of a race antedating the cliff dwellers.

VISIONS OF THE NIGHT.

Nocturnal Mirages Observed by Coastwise Steamship Officers Near the Delaware Capes.

NEW YORK, April 26.—Mirages in the night are unusual, even on the North Carolina and Virginia shores, where spectres of the aerial mists are most frequently observed by coastwise navigators. It was left to Capt. Fisher and Officers Smith and Phillips, of the steamship Kansas City, to recently run across the most remarkable nocturnal air visions ever recorded on the log of a coaster. The Kansas City left Savannah on Sunday. At twilight on Monday the officers on the bridge saw about 100 or more feet up in the foggy air, about eight miles from the North Carolina coast, a duplication of the low-lying shore with houses and trees here and there.

When darkness had set in the officers of the ship saw shoreward the phantasm of the edge of the land, looking like a streak of painted scenery in the background of a show, surmounted and dotted with lights. The real scenery and lights were hidden behind the vapor below. Thereafter until morning the shore was invisible, but its reflection in the clouds was seen until almost dawn on Tuesday. It was away down twenty-five miles abeam of Currituck light, about sixty-two miles south of Cape Charless that the skipper of the Kansas City saw on the horizon an unfamiliar beacon, gleaming like a terrestial Mars, the reflection of the Cape Charles light projected on the clouds. A procession of cloud-mirrored lights danced by the steamship as she came up the coast. Nothing real in the way of lights or objects ashore was seen until the Kansas City was in the neighborhood of the Delaware capes.

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"HANGING" A JURY.

How An Attempt to Cheat Justice in the Interest of a Bank Wrecker Was Foiled.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 25.—The trial of Frank and Percival Coffin and A. S. Reed, of the Indianapolis Cabinet Co., for aiding T. P. Haughey, president of the Indianapolis bank, in wrecking that institution, ended abruptly this afternoon when the judge announced that Juror Alvin Armstrong, of Lawrence county, had been guilty of conspiracy and corruption against the government by attempting to enter into a compact with the defendants to "hang" the jury for a consideration of $5,000. The juror was arrested as he sat in the box, the jury was discharged and the court adjourned until next Tuesday. Armstrong, who is a farmer, agreed with his neighbor, Frank O. Stannard, of Lawrence county, to "hang" the jury, and Stannard opened negotiations with Coffin's attorneys, asking $5,000 for Armstrong's work. A contract was drawn up. The attorneys then gave the whole thing away to the judge, turning over the contract. Stannard was a delegate in the Republican State convention. He is of the firm of Stannard Bros, extensive stock-raisers of Lawrence county, president of the Big Six Fair Association and secretary of the Bedford Fair and Trotting Association. He is also administrator of a big estate.

NOT A PRIVILEGED QUESTION.

Members of Congress Anxious to Ventilate Their Grievance Arising Out of Salary Deductions.

WASHINGTON, April 26.—The first reply to the circular issued by Sergeant-at Arms Snow in pursuance of the action of the Democratic caucus, announcing his purpose to enforce the law of 1856, requiring him to deduct from members' salaries for their absence, except for sickness, was heard in the House to-day. Mr. Mahon, of Pennsylvania, offered as a privileged question a resolution declaring it to be an infringement upon the dignity and privilege of members and wholly unauthorized by law. He argued that the law sought to be enforced by the sergeant-at-arms had really been repealed by an act fixing the present salary of members of Congress, which contains no provision for deduction for absence. An exciting discussion followed, at the end of which Speaker Crisp ruled that the resolution did not present a question of privilege.

IN SIXTY-TWO HOURS.

Fast Trip Across the Continent Made by the Seligman Family.

SAN DIEGO, April 26.—At midnight last night, a special train bearing Theodore Seligman and Henry Seligman, sons of the late Jesse Seligman, the New York banker, who died at Coronado on Monday, arrived from Chicago, having made the run in 62 hours, a day and a half faster than the regular time. This afternoon at 4 o'clock the same train took the dead banker's sons and widow and daughter back to New York.

NICOLA VALLEY RAILWAY.

Construction Work to Be Begun Shortly—An Immense Coal Field to Be Made Accessible.

The Nicola Valley Railway Company expect in a short time to commence the construction of their road from the main line of the C. P. R. near Spence's Bridge to the valuable coal lands some forty miles distant, and thence to Nicola Lake, about six miles further on. The company some two years ago secured from fifteen to twenty square miles of coal lands, and subsequently obtained a charter for the railway. The coal is bituminous and is of the best quality, the coke produced from it being equal to the best Cornellsville, Pa., product. The quantity of coal obtainable is immense—equal, it is believed, to a daily output of a thousand tons for from 60 to 100 years. Analysis shows that 60 to 70 per cent. of it is pure carbon, with a very small percentage of ash. Iron ore assaying 80 per cent. of pure iron is obtainable within three or four miles. The company, which are composed of Vancouver and Victoria capitalists, expect to start work soon, and only await the report of a coal expert appointed by President Van Horne to make an investigation of the district. As already announced, the turning of the first sod took place on the 18th inst., on which occasion interesting and encouraging addresses were delivered by President Dr. Lefevre, Mayor Anderson of Vancouver and others, all of whom expressed great confidence in the success of both the railway and coal mining enterprises.

Important Egyptian Discoveries.

LONDON, April 26.—Prof. Gorgan, who has been excavating in Egypt for some time past, has made a fresh and important discovery. A few weeks ago the Professor discovered the remains of a supposed King of Egypt, and now it is announced his explorations at the foot of the brick pyramid of Dashour have led to the discovery of the fourth dynasty King, Morus Ratouab. In addition, the excavator found an ebony statue and some gold plates, etc. The explorations will be continued.

The Virginia Mine on Fire.

RENO, Nev., April 25.—A fire started in the Virginia this morning, near the Hale and Norcross mine, while the wind was blowing a gale. By prompt action the flames were extinguished with but little damage.

Yo Tambien Beaten.

MEMPHIS, April 25.—Yo Tambien wa disgracefully beaten by Clifford in the Montgomery stakes. Clifford was not the favorite.

Ladies—Hinde's curling pins at Fox's.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Sir John Thompson's Speech on the School Question a Remarkable Deliverance.

The Insolvent Act—"Joe" Martin Called Down—An Australian Minister En Route Home.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, April 26.—Sir John Thompson made a remarkable speech in the House of Commons this afternoon on the Northwest school question. He succinctly stated the reasons which had led the Government to assume the position they occupied on this question, and mentioned that the Roman Catholic minority in Manitoba had decided to appeal to England from the recent opinion on the same point.

The House did not sit to-night, leading members on both sides attending a state dinner.

A delegation of the boards of trade conferred with the Senate committee on the subject of insolvency. They had previously met and passed a resolution unanimously in favor of creditors being secured the right to say who shall be the liquidator or assignee of estates in all cases.

Joseph Martin was called down by Mr. Scriver, another Grit member, this morning, for insulting Mr. Gibbon, counsel for the Consumers Cordage Co.

Hon. Thomas Reid, ex-Minister of Defence, Victoria, will arrive here next week. He sails for home by the Warrimoo from Victoria on the 16th.

A stringent measure for the prevention of game destruction in the territories was introduced in the Senate to-day.

The Ontario Government have applied to purchase a large number of the Thousand islands in the St. Lawrence for park purposes.

INTERNATIONAL YACHTING.

Proposal That the Prince of Wales Should Bring out his Yacht the "Britannia."

In an editorial on the repeated triumphs of the Prince of Wales yacht Britannia the Montreal Witness says: The heir of the throne of the Sea Kings should now turn his face to the West and see if he cannot conquer the yachtsmen of the United States in their own waters under the rather trying conditions for strangers imposed by them, and win back the America cup, as the Queen's cup is now called. There would be a great deal of interest in any international boat race, but one in which the Prince of Wales was owner of the British yacht would prove the most exciting contest ever sailed.

A second visit of the Prince of Wales to America would be of great use to him, and Canada has a great deal scattered from Halifax to Victoria that she would take a pride in showing him. He would be interested in noting some changes which have taken place since he was here last, thirty-four years ago. Canada would also like to meet and greet the gentle and much-loved Princess of Wales. The future King and Queen of the British Empire might make their trip a celebration of the closer union of the British nations by going home by way of Australia. Lord Rosebery, who is an ardent imperial federationist, would no doubt enthusiastically advise a visit which would be calculated to do something to remind the British people of Great Britain that they are all subjects of one sovereign.

THE QUEEN'S CUP.

Tankerville Chamberlain, M. P., Offers Inducements to American Yachts to Cross the Atlantic.

Mr. Tankerville Chamberlain, member of Parliament from Southampton, and honorary lieutenant in the Naval reserve, has offered for competition in English waters the Queen's Cup won by the Arrow in 1851. It is understood that this offer is made especially with the view of inducing one or more American yachts to race in English waters.

It is further announced that the Prince of Wales has decided to race his cutter Britannia this season against all comers.

The Queen's Cup was one which the yacht America was not allowed to compete for in 1851, as the race was only open to boats belonging to the Royal yacht squadron. The cutter Arrow, winner of the cup, was owned by Tankerville Chamberlain, father of the present member of Parliament, and she was among the yachts afterwards beaten by the America in the race for the 100-guinea cup, offered by the Royal yacht squadron, which is now known as the America's Cup. When the America was sold to Lord De Blaquiere the Arrow defeated her in a race around the Isle of Wight on July 22, 1852, the America's English skipper not knowing how to handle her.

Mr. Chamberlain, by the way, offered the Queen's Cup for competition in 1886, after the sloop Mayflower had beaten the Genesta out of sight in the cup races here. Capt. Arthur Clark was engaged by the owners of the Mayflower and every arrangement was made to send her across to race for the cup, when Mr. Chamberlain suddenly withdrew his offer. It was said at that time that Mr. Chamberlain's mother objected to his offering the cup for competition.

New Books.

A Costly Freak—Maxwell Gray	.50
Lisbeth—Leslie Keith	.50
The Countess Rodna—W. E. Norris	.50
A Yellow Aster	.50
A Princess of Paris—Gunter	.50
Seas and Land—Sir Edward Arnold	.75
Can This Be Love?—Parr	.75
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Stead's New Book on Chicago	.50

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DO YOU need carpets, curtains, wall papers, furniture, China ware? Then make your selection at the place where you can get the best assortment at the lowest prices for genuine goods. WEILER BROS.

NO EASTERN mail came by the Premier last evening, the train being reported eight hours late.

OWING to derangement of the Mainland wires the COLONIST'S telegraphic service was materially curtailed last night.

French China Tea Sets at Cheapside.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

A Gold Dredger Which Proves Very Effective—The Convicts' Recent Attempt at Escape.

New Hospital at Vancouver—Successful Amateur Performance—Meeting Postponed.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, April 26.—A very handsome hospital is to be built for the Sisters of Charity of the House of Providence; Mr. Blanchet, who has built a number of hospitals for the same order, is the architect. The basement will be of stone and the superstructure frame. The lower floor will contain dining room, sitting room for Sisters of Charity, the receiving ward, furnace room and kitchen annex. The first floor will contain an operating room, surgical dressing room, dispensary, smoking room, two private wards for pay patients, and two large wards for public patients; on the second floor will be seven private wards, two public wards, and a chapel. The attic floor will contain the convalescent room, and the Sisters' bedrooms. The building will be fitted with all modern conveniences and will be 120x48 feet.

An old timer known as "Moustache Jim" died suddenly at the Hotel Europe yesterday, after a prolonged spree, which probably hastened his end. Deceased was a familiar figure on the streets of Vancouver and was thought to be one of the earliest settlers in the city. He had no relatives that can be traced.

The Westminster amateur opera company presented H.M.S. Pinafore at the Vancouver Opera House last night, a fair audience receiving enthusiastically the splendid production. The following musical gems are worthy of note, as effectively rendered by the ladies and gentlemen mentioned: "I'm Called Little Buttercup," Miss Ogle; Ralph Rackstraw's "Maiden Fair to See," H. Owen Malins; "My Gallant Crew," Dr. A. De Wolf Smith; "Sorry Her Lot," Mrs. Fagan as "Josephine;" "When I was a Lad," Mr. Rounsfell." Miss Clute, Mr. W. Walsh and Mr. G. B. McClelland were also heartily encored. Mr. F. Victor Austin deserves credit, as the principal promoter of the performance, for bringing it to such a very successful issue.

A runaway lad from Calgary is being taken care of by the police; his parents have been communicated with. The lad, who is but nine years old, is very bright and willing, and the stern custodians of the law look forward with regret to the little waif being taken from them.

Last evening Mr. John Wylie, of Ladner's, was married to Miss Maggie Matson, of Cromarty.

Mr. William Hoffmeister died last night after ten days' illness. Deceased was formerly from Clifford; he was well known and respected in the city.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, April 26.—Additional information has been received which goes to show that the attempt of Kennedy and McCabe to escape from the penitentiary on Monday was only part of a well arranged plot to liberate the whole of one gang of convicts numbering about 40. When Kennedy dug up his rifle and handed it to McCabe he resumed digging hoping to find another rifle. There were no more, however, and with McCabe shot and himself covered by Guard Burr's revolver, Kennedy could do nothing but surrender. He afterwards admitted that he expected to find four stands of arms instead of a single weapon placed there by his confederates on the outside. Had Kennedy not been disappointed in this matter or had the rifle in McCabe's hands not missed fire the plot must have been successful.

The cannerymen say that when the addition to D. J. Munn & Co.'s Sea Island cannery is completed it will be the largest in the Province. The Richmond cannery, J. H. Todd & Son proprietors, is undergoing repairs and receiving new machinery. The new cannery at Garry Point will be finished in ample time for the sockeye pack. Preparations for the packing season are being made at all the canneries on the river.

The court of revision on the assessment roll sits on Monday next. There are about 200 appeals. Very probably 150 are on the ground of over-assessment. The difficulty of establishing the cash value of real estate at present will make the proceedings of the court more than usually interesting. It is probable that if all the appeals are followed up the court will be sitting almost every day next week.

F. S. Roper, Provincial Inspector of contagious diseases in cattle, has returned from an official visit to the Chilliwack district. Mr. Roper reports having made a very careful inspection of the stock in Chilliwack and finding but one case of disease. This was a horse afflicted with glanders. The animal was killed and buried seven feet deep.

Mr. Aldridge, Aldergrove, had his house burned to the ground and almost everything lost on Tuesday morning, leaving himself, his wife and five children homeless. The fire started about 3:20 o'clock in the morning from some cause unknown.

The trial made at Yale this week by Bell & McCastle's gold dredger fully realized the highest expectations of the prospectors. Working in twelve feet of water gold gravel was pumped up from the bed of the river which yielded 19½ ounces of gold in a thirty-six hours' run. Stones weighing twenty-five and thirty pounds are brought up by the pump, and the whole machinery works perfectly. This trial ensures the success of operating gold dredgers on river bottoms in British Columbia.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, April 26.—Mr. S. M. Robins has announced his intention of commencing the work immediately of converting the swamp into first-class athletic grounds, suitable for all kinds of sports. Cinder tracks for foot and bicycle races will be laid down. The swamp will be enlarged and when the work is completed will be one of the finest athletic grounds in the Province.

The Government meeting which was to have been held in the Opera House on Saturday evening, to be addressed by Premier Davie, has been postponed to May 10.

The local Odd Fellows celebrated to-night their 75th anniversary by a concert and ball in the Opera House.

Before Judge Harrison to-day case of Vipond vs. the Corporation of the City of Nanaimo came on for trial. Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C. and E. M. Yarwood appeared for the city; J. H. Simpson acting for the plaintiff. The whole day was occupied in the examination of Vipond. The case will likely last the remainder of the week. The plaintiff's claim is for $5,130, arising out of the contract for the opening up of the Newcastle townsite. The matter has been in dispute for the past three years.

Sailed, Costa Rica; arrived, ships India, Wachusett.

FIREARMS IN THE LORDS.

Lord Stanley Advocates a Bill to Restrict Their Sale—A Dramatic Scene.

LONDON, April 26.—Last night the House of Lords was suddenly amazed by the spectacle of a noble peer standing with pistol levelled at the head of Lord Salisbury. The dramatic situation was the climax to a queer speech by Lord Stanley, who was advocating a bill to restrict the sale of firearms. No dealer was to sell a pistol except to a holder of a game license, and married women were to be barred from having a license under any conditions, husbands being outside the definition of fair game within the meaning of the bill. As Lord Stanley gravely explained this provision the house roared with laughter and there was not a dry eye on either the ministerial or opposition side. The beauty of the situation was that he was in sober earnest throughout. He produced two small boys as dreadful examples of the present laxity. One of the boys had recently shot the other seriously. Then Lord Stanley produced deadly weapons from various pockets. Finally a murmur of surprise caused Lord Salisbury to look up from a letter he was writing. He found himself confronting the barrel of a pistol. The leader of the opposition shrank back and exclaimed hurriedly to the speaker. "Keep the point downward." Lord Stanley obligingly lowered the weapon and handed it to the prime minister.

COXEY'S MOVEMENT.

It Furnishes a Theme for Many and Varied Editorials.

LONDON, April 26.—The Coxey movement in the United States is attracting considerable attention both in this country and on the continent, and is furnishing a fruitful theme for editorial writers of the leading papers. The organs of the trades unions and labor organizations in general are publishing long reports of the movements of the different "armies," and are inclined at long range to regard the commonweal movement as the beginning of the social emancipation of the toilers in the States. The fact that the movements of the armies have not been checked by the authorities is also the source of considerable surprise and comment. In this country such a demonstration would have been impossible both under the general laws and the various county regulations governing assemblages and demonstrations, and were a commonweal to start out from any of the large English centres of population bound for London with the same object in view as these popularly ascribed to Coxey, the chances are that the ringleaders would have been arrested for treason by the time their first halting place was reached.

NO RIGHT TO INTERFERE.

New Zealand Has No Right to Interfere in Samoa, Whose Affairs are in German Hands.

BERLIN, April 26.—The North German Gazette, in an inspired article regarding the annexation of Samoa to New Zealand, says the latter country has no right to interfere in the administration of Samoan affairs. The three treaty powers interested are perfectly competent, it says, to arrange matters with due regard to the interests of Samoa. The commercial interests of Samoa are almost exclusively in German hands, and no amount of agitation on the part of English colonies can alter that fact.

Coal for the Fleet.

FAIRHAVEN, April 26.—President Black, of the Board of Trade, has received a telegram from Senator Squire, confirming the report that all the vessels of the Behring Sea fleet have been ordered to take sufficient coal at Bellingham bay to reach Unalaska, whither a supply of Comox, B. C., coal has been sent for the use of the vessels when on patrol duty. The secretary of the Blue Canyon company wired from Seattle that he had secured the contract for coaling all the vessels, but President Larrabee, of the Fairhaven company, says he has no knowledge that the order received by his company has been revoked, and can conceive no reason why it should be, although he believes the price he quoted is somewhat higher than that quoted by the Blue Canyon. He has been requested to have 100 tons ready for the Yorktown Friday, and he still expects to furnish about 1,000 tons in all.

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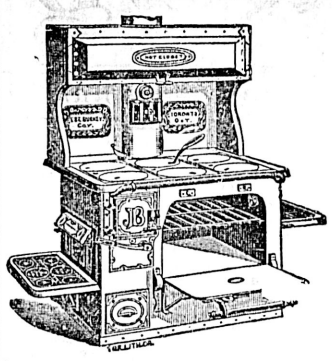

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Victoria, B. C., Jan. 17, 1893.
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ROYAL COMMISSION.

In the matter of the Nakusp & Slocan Railway Co.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Royal Commission to them issued, and dated the 20th April, instant, the undersigned will hold a session at the Court House, in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the 9th day of May proximo, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of opening the said Commission and of entering upon and conducting the inquiries relating to the several matters mentioned in the Resolution of the Honorable the House of Assembly, praying that such Commission might issue, which Resolution was approved by an Order in Council dated the 16th April, instant. And all parties interested in such inquiries or in the matters in such Resolution referred to, and who may wish to bring forward charges or exculpations, or evidence relating thereto, shall be heard.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., 25th April, 1894.

MATT. B. BEGBIE,
G. W. BURBIDGE,
ap26-3t Commissioners.

Nanaimo Judicial District.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, in virtue of the powers vested in him by the "Supreme Court Amendment Act, 1894," has been pleased to order that from and after Monday, the 16th day of April, instant, the Registry for the Nanaimo Judicial District shall be established in the City of Nanaimo.

By command,
JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
12th April, 1894. ap19-1m

Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all taxes levied under the Assessment Act are now due for the year 1894. All of the above-named taxes collectable within the Electoral Districts of Victoria City, Victoria, Esquimalt and Coast Districts, are payable at my office.

Assessed taxes are collectable at the following rates, viz.:

If paid on or before June 30th, 1894—
One-half of one per cent. on real property.
Two per cent. on wild land.
One-third of one per cent. on personal property.
One half of one per cent. on income.

If paid after June 30th, 1894—
Two-thirds of one per cent. on real property.
Two and one-half per cent. on wild land.
One-half of one per cent. on personal property.
Three-fourths of one per cent. on income.
Provincial Revenue Tax, $3.00 per capita (Victoria City excepted).

CORNELIUS BOOTH,
Assessor and Collector.
January 2nd, 1894. ap19-td

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the year 1894.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo	Tuesday	1st May.
New Westminster	Tuesday	8th May.
Vancouver	Tuesday	15th May.
Clinton	Monday	28th May.
Victoria	Tuesday	29th May.
Kamloops	Monday	4th June.
Vernon	Monday	11th June.
*Donald	Friday	15th June.
*Nelson	Tuesday	19th June.

*Special Assize. ap19-td

In the SUPREME COURT of BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the matter of the Quieting Titles Act and in the matter of the Title of James Isbister to Lot Number 11, part of Suburban Lot 55, Esquimalt District, according to Map 10, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

NOTICE is hereby given that James Isbister, of the village of Esquimalt, British Columbia, on the 16th day of February, 1894, applied under the Quieting Titles Act for a Declaration of Title to Lot Number 11, part of Suburban Lot 55, Esquimalt District, according to Map Number 10, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia, and he has filed a petition and produced evidence before the Honourable Mr. Justice Walkem, whereby he appears to be the legal and beneficial owner of the said land in fee simple in possession. Any person having or claiming any title or interest in the said land or any part thereof, is required on or before the 16th day of July, 1894, to file a statement of his claim, verified by affidavit, with the Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, and to serve a notice thereof on Mr. Alan S. Dumbleton, 51 Langley St., Victoria, B.C., solicitor for the petitioner, and in default of so doing, every such claim will be barred and the said James Isbister will be declared the legal and beneficial owner in fee simple in possession of the said piece or parcel of land free from all rights, interests, claims and demands whatsoever, except and subject to the reservations in the 23rd Section of the said Act, and therein numbered respectively (a) and (b).

Dated this 10th day of April, 1894.

ALAN S DUMBLETON,
Solicitor for the Petitioner.
Approved,
GEO. A. WALKEM, J. ap11-td

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Section 26, Esquimalt, sub divided into lots, streets sixty feet wide. Twenty of these lots will be offered at $400 each. Also the undivided half of sub lot 50, containing about 13 acres in all. This property has a frontage on Esquimalt Harbor and Admiral's Road. This property is quite close to new Marine railway and E. & N. R. R. station, tramcar and proposed fortifications and intended coal bunkers.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

"Independent" Testimony Cheering to Canadians—Dominion Duties Lower Than Wilson Tariff.

Tired of Liberalism—Ottawa Sound Storms—Premier Mowat on Cumulative Voting.

Toronto Telegram: Canada, Toronto included, does more complaining about hard times and has less reason to complain than any country on earth. Canadians even in these times of alleged tribulations are enjoying all the blessings of abundant prosperity, as the phrase, abundant prosperity, is understood in older countries. The condition of Canada now and the condition of European countries in the times of their greatest prosperity are in contrast, and the contrast is entirely to the advantage of Canada.

The standard of living here in the worst of times is higher than it is among the European peoples in the best of times. There are many happy and few hungry people in Canada even now.

"GLORIOUS CANADA."

Toronto Star: Great Britain has a deficit of $22,000,000, France $16,000,000 and the United States anywhere from $50,000,000 to $80,000,000. Truly Canada has reason to congratulate herself that while o her countries have come through the general depression with the balance on the wrong side of the books, she has emerged with a surplus, while the distress has been much less heavy than in the other lands. Canada is a solid, safe Dominion, and her people are solid, safe, wise and just.

MOWAT ON CUMULATIVE VOTING.

Toronto Telegram: A deputation representing the Trades and Labor Council waited upon the Ontario Government last night and were received by Sir Oliver Mowat and Messrs. Hardy, Gibson, Dryden, and Bronson. President Walter Burnill of the Council was the first speaker and urged the adoption in Toronto of the cumulative system of voting in the coming elections. Statistics were also given to show that if Toronto was represented according to population it would be entitled to eight members instead of four. The Premier replied at some length, and said that while the arguments were forcible and certainly worthy of consideration, he did not think that there was at present any popular demand for the change which was advocated, nothing certainly to justify the Government in putting the proposed system into operation.

A COMPARISON OF DUTIES.

St. John Sun: It has been stated that the Canadian tariff in force before the recent reductions was lower than the proposed United States tariff under the Wilson bill. The Wilson bill as it now stands provides for dutiable goods of the various classes the following rate, the percentage in the case of specific duties is computed on last year's prices: Chemicals, oils and paints, 25 per cent.; earth, earthenware, glassware, 37; metals and manufactures of, 34; wood and manufactures of, 23; sugar, 35; tobacco, 91; agricultural products and provisions, 22; spirits, wines and other beverages, 59; cotton manufactures, 38; flax, hemp and manufactures of, 30; wool and manufactures of, 35; silk and silk goods, 44; pulp, papers and books, 20; sundries, 21; unenumerated, 19 The general average on all dutiable goods under the Senate bill is over 34 per cent. The average Canadian tariff on all dutiable goods coming into the country in 1892 was 29 per cent. Under the McKinley bill the average rate on dutiable goods going into the United States was 49½ per cent.

TIRED OF LIBERALISM.

A Montreal despatch to the Toronto Empire says: A gentleman just arrived from Quebec is authority for the statement that ex-Mayor Fremont, M.P. for Quebec centre, will give the Government more than one important vote before the closing session. Mr. Fremont was always opposed to the Mercier-Pacaud-Langelier clique in Quebec, and reached the position of first magistrate of the Ancient Capital in spite of the efforts of the boodle brigade. He will, it is said, present himself next time in Quebec centre as a supporter of Sir John Thompson's Government.

OTTAWA STORMS.

Toronto Telegram: Resolutions and speeches lose the terrors of their parliamentary record when the unprejudiced onlooker watches their birth at Ottawa. Ottawa hears the volley-firing of the Quebec musketeers and apprehends that the bombardment of the citadel of English and Protestant rights has opened. The truth is that the French Canadian gentlemen are simply discussing in shouts subjects that their constituents will understand. Ottawa storms are fiercer in print than they are in reality. Disturbances that threaten to shake the Dominion have not energy enough to shake a window blind when viewed at short range by people who know the difference between a cyclone and a gale of wind.

RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.

Judge Prowse, of St. Johns, Nfld., has conbributed to the Evening Telegram of that city a series of articles on the importance of opening up the country by railways. He confesses at the outset to be a "railway man," and declares that as truly as the Canadian Pacific made Canada, so the Newfoundland & Northwestern railway has galvanised the north part of the island into life. The lumber industry has, he says, been created entirely by the passage of the railway, and the greatest improvement has been effected by the railway in the regular postal communication with the north.

MAJOR MUTTER'S POSITION.

To THE EDITOR:—Under the heading, in one of your editorials in COLONIST of Tuesday, 24th April, of "A Little Game Spoiled" is the sentence, "He saw (Hon. Mr. Davie) what every one else who had the least discernment perceived, that Major Mutter, though professing to be a supporter of the Government, was really its bitter opponent." Now, Sir, will you be surprised to learn that Major Mutter is not an opponent, much less "a bitter" opponent of the Government of the Hon. Theodore Davie, and never was. I consider that I need say no more, as what really occurred, or was intended by Major Mutter's remarks at the meeting, is I presume only of interest to those concerned, and Major Mutter was requested to stand for the constituency by strong supporters of the Davie Government.

J. M. MUTTER.

Somenosdale, Somenos, 25th April, 1894.

N.B.—I have not seen the Times article to which you allude.

Oppose the Eight-Hour Bill.

LONDON, Aprtl 25.—A deputation of coal mine owners called upon Lord Rosebery yesterday to present reasons for opposing the eight-hour bill. The Premier said the ministry was not unanimous on the subject. Some would probably vote against the bill.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

Speculation Mainly Confined to the Industrial Group—American Sugar Active.

NEW YORK, April 26—Speculation at the Stock Exchange was limited until the last half hour of business to the industrial group. These stocks, and more especially American Sugar, were in active request. Sugar was in demand from the opening until the close of business, and the price moved up steadily from 98½ to 100⅛, closing at par. The main cause for the improvement was the desire of a latent "short" interest to "cover." This demand was so urgent that the weakness of the general list, which was quite pronounced in the final transactions, failed to have any influence on Sugar, which left off about two points better for the day. Closing bids: Atchison 13¾; Burlington & Quincy, 79⅝; Canada Southern, 50¾; Canadian Pacific, 67; Central Pacific, 15; Chicago, Cincinnati & Columbus, 38; Delaware & Lackawanna, 163; Erie, 15¾; Wells Fargo, 123; Great Northern preferred, 104; Lake Shore, 128¼; Louisville & Nashville, 49¼; Missouri Pacific, 29⅝; New York Central, 99; New York & New England, 9; North American, 4¼; Northern Pacific, 4¾; Northern Pacific preferred, 19; Northwest, 107½.

COXEY'S ARMY.

The Capture of the Butte Contingent Which Stole a Railway Train.

Much Opposition to the Seizure, But no Real Difficulty Experienced.

ST. PAUL, April 26.—Dispatches received here early this morning state that the Butte contingent of Coxey's army was captured at Forsythe, Mont., at 10:30 o'clock on Wednesday night. No blood was shed, the men submitting to arrest very quietly. The successful termination of the affair was due to a very clever manoeuvre on the part of Col. Page, who, on learning that the industrial train was delayed by lack of water, secured a special train and took them by surprise.

TACOMA, April 26.—A special to the Ledger from Allen C. Mason, who was at Billings Wednesday morning on the westbound train, says: About one o'clock this morning the Coxey contingent from Butte, 600 strong, wearing tri-colored badges, rolled into Billings on sixteen freight cars, loaded on top and inside, and with flags flying, followed closely by a train containing United States marshals. The west-bound passenger train was laid out thirteen hours, fearing to run up against them, and for safety went on a sidetrack half a mile below town, the Coxey train apparently having its own way. At Columbia the railway officials had obstructed the track at night, but the Coxeyites removed the obstructions, pulled through and replaced them.

On arriving at Billings Leader Cunningham, from the top of a rear car, addressed a large crowd collected. About fifteen deputy marshals marched past under arms to capture the engine. The crowd surged forward and around the marshals, while the Coxeyites from their train guyed the marshals, warning them to commit no violence. The engineer, though under cover of rifles, refused to leave the cab, when ten or a dozen rifle shots rang out. The Coxeyites charged and wrested most of the guns from the marshals, who retreated under the protection of their revolvers, firing occasionally.

"Kill them," "hang them," shouted the Coxeyites, who saw one of their crown on top of the train, with blood streaming from a wound in the forehead. Several deputies ran, followed by the crowd hurling stones and hitting several of the deputies, who were driven back to the train, narrowly escaping a violent death. The Coxeyites smashed the captured rifles in pieces over the railroad rails. The action of the marshals in shooting on the miscellaneous crowd is severely condemned as foolhardy. One citizen was shot through the lungs, but will recover. One man was shot through the vest, over the heart, having a narrow escape.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., April 26.—The contingent of Coxey's army under command of "Gen" Louis C. Frye, spent last night near here, using the railroad company's fences and ties for fuel. One train was side-tracked to prevent the Commonwealers securing it. When the trains were started in the afternoon the 300 soldiers made a rush for a freight and captured it. The engineer was told that the industrials had railroad men in their ranks and that if he refused to start this train, he would be put off and one of their men would take the throttle. The trainmen were unable to prevent them riding as the industrials were determined and any resistance would have resulted in bloodshed. Brazil being in the heart of the Indiana coal district, and, as hundreds of miners are now out on strike, there may be serious trouble, as the miners will, on account of being residents, claim the charity of the people of the city in preference to the industrials.

WASHINGTON, April 26.—A new impediment to the Coxey demonstration in Washington on May 1 has appeared in the person of Dr. Hammett, the health officer of the district of Columbia. He will meet the commonweal army at the district line, and if he finds any sickness among them that is likely to breed infectious or contagious disease he will place the entire force in quarantine.

FORSYTHE, Mont., April 26, 2 a.m.—The strong arm of the law seized the Montana army of the commonweal. The army 600 strong came in from the west at 10 45 and its leaders stated that they would remain at Forsythe until morning. At 11.30, however, an engineer went to the round house and deliberately proceeded to take out a fresh engine to prepare for the trip eastward. In the meantime Col. Page, of Fort Keogh, secured a special train and was thundering down the road to meet the train-stealing contingent. He came into Forsythe shortly after midnight and found the large party of the Coxey army asleep in box cars. The surprise was complete and the Coxeyites gave up without a struggle. Troops left most of the men aboard the train and surrounded it. Nothing definite is known as to the disposition of the commonwealers, but it is supposed that eight or ten of the leaders will be taken back to morrow to Butte and the others set at liberty.

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We cannot see what good can result from representing matters with respect to the mode of dealing with British sealers in the worst possible light. We were told on Wednesday by the Times that "no man-of-war is to be sent North to convey warning to the sealers that the Paris regulations will be enforced on May 1." A very few hours after this appeared word came from Ottawa that the naval officer at Esquimalt had received orders "to send a man-of-war to the Northern Pacific immediately to notify Canadian sealing vessels"; and not twenty-four hours after the statement that no man-of-war was to be sent to the Northern Pacific was made the Pheasant was on her way to those waters. As our contemporary was mistaken in the announcement which it so confidently made on Wednesday, is it not possible that it may be quite as far in error with respect to the way in which sealers that it will be found impossible to warn before that date will be treated? No one knows what orders the officer commanding the Pheasant has received. It is one thing to say that sealers found within the specified limits are liable to seizure after the 1st of May, and quite another thing to declare that they will be seized. It is not possible to warn all the sealers before the 1st of May, and we are quite sure that the British Government does not expect either the Commander of the man-of-war or the unwarned sealers to do what is impossible. The very fact that the Pheasant was sent to sea so near the end of the open season is presumptive evidence of the strongest kind that it is not intended, with respect to vessels that have not been warned and that cannot be warned, to put a rigid interpretation on the new law.

MOROSE AND VITUPERATIVE.

The News-Advertiser is so elated over the success which it has predicted that it attacks with the greatest bitterness its political opponents. The Premier is denounced in the most acrimonious terms, and it, without any unusual provocation, falls foul of the Government press. This is a singular course to pursue on the eve of a glorious victory. The sure prospect of success puts most men in a good humor, and causes them to feel kindly to all the world. They are disposed to be generous in their day of triumph and to speak mildly of even their most energetic opponents. But this is not the case with our Vancouver morning contemporary. It seems to have become soured by the prospect of prosperity, and the near approach of victory has added to its malignity. The News-Advertiser has, we must confess, disappointed us. We thought that it would be mellowed by success and not spoiled, and that in its day of triumph it would be magnanimous and merciful and not ungenerous and vindictive. We regret that we have been mistaken. It is not pleasant to see men fall below the estimate one has formed of them.

We cannot say that we have been hurt by the News-Advertiser's denunciation of the part of the press that supports the Government. We feel sure that our contemporary did not mean what it said. Its denunciation of its confreres, like its boast of what the Opposition are going to do on election day, was written simply for effect. It is mere sound and fury signifying nothing, and we take it for what it is worth. But our contemporary the World does not feel inclined to pass over the News-Advertiser's abuse of the press with quiet, good-natured contempt. It is indignant, and strikes back. It speaks of the News-Advertiser and its editor and proprietor in language which cannot be overlooked. If what the World says and suggests is true, the editor of the News-Advertiser is guilty of a piece of insolent presumption when he places himself on a moral level with honest men of any profession; if what it says is untrue, we cannot see how the editor of the News-Advertiser can, in justice to himself, avoid calling the publishers of the World to account before a court of justice. No journalist can be justified in saying what the World says about Mr. Cotton, unless he has the proof of the truth of what he states under his hand, and no man occupying a respectable position can afford to have such things said about him as the World publishes about the editor of the News-Advertiser, without taking steps to prove to the world that they are false and libellous.

ABOUT CONCILIATION.

Labor legislation appears to be exceedingly difficult in Great Britain as well as everywhere else. The general opinion seems to be that labor disputes must be settled amicably if they are settled at all. The introduction of the element of compulsion is resented by both parties to the dispute; and naturally so. Free men cannot be compelled to work for less than they consider fair wages or on any other than they regard as reasonable conditions. Neither is it possible to compel employers to pay more as wages than they believe to be just, or to open their factories and workshops, when, in their opinion, their interest requires them to be closed. Those who think over the subject calmly, will find that in any measure that may be framed for the settlement of labor disputes, there is no place for the element of compulsion. This is the conclusion to which the British Labor Commission has arrived, and it will have to be admitted that the men composing that Commission were well able to arrive at just and reasonable conclusions in the matter, and that they had an immense amount of information before them on which to found an intelligent opinion.

A bill for the creation of Boards of Conciliation for labor disputes has been introduced in the British House of Commons. It appears to be based on the findings of the Labor Commission. This bill provides that the Board of Trade may invite the parties to the dispute to choose a Chairman to preside over a meeting in which the matters of difference are considered. This was what was done in the case of the coal strike last year. The mine-owners and the miners chose Lord Rosebery as a chairman or conciliator. Representatives of both miners and mine-owners met under his presidency, and in an astonishingly short time the difficulty which had caused so much trouble and loss was settled. The bill provides that a conciliator or a board of conciliation may be appointed, and provision is made for appointing an arbitrator by the Board of Trade. Neither party is under the slightest compulsion. "The author of the measure, Mr. Mundella, describes it as a bill to call boards of conciliation into existence and to assist their organization by enforcing such rules and methods as had proved successful in the past, and to record and publish from time to time useful decisions." It seems to us that the law that was enacted by the Legislature of this Province last winter resembles in many essential respects Mr. Mundella's bill. There does not seem to be a very clear understanding either in Great Britain or the Colonies as to what really constitutes "conciliation." Lord Shand, who was nominated by the Speaker of the House of Commons as Chairman of the Miners' Board of Conciliation, at its fourth meeting found it necessary to explain what, in his opinion, "conciliation" really means. He prefaced his observations by saying that he regarded the formation of the board as a very great experiment, and that it would be humiliating if the members should not succeed in accomplishing their purpose.

I have sometimes wondered, he said, whether persons who belong to boards of this class really realize the meaning and force of this word "conciliation." I have seen, since I was appointed to this board, in the public prints statements made by the members of the board, I think publicly, that they will go so far in the way of concession and not one inch farther; and in glancing over the proceedings which the joint secretaries were good enough to send me, I have seen indications also on the part of the masters that they will go so far in the way of concession and no farther. I ask you, if that is to be the state of matters, why are you here? Conciliation in my mind means concession. Of one thing I trust I may feel assured, and that is that all the questions which are raised where matters of fact are concerned, the fullest information will be frankly and cordially given upon both sides, and that you will endeavor to show, in as far as you possibly can, confidence in each other and in the statements that each makes to the other. I do not say for a moment that if on either side you have the least idea that deceit is being practised, or concealment is being used, you should not resent that and require that there should be an end to that, but I hope there will be neither concealment nor deceit, but that you will be able to show the utmost confidence and trust in the statements which one gives to the other.

It is evident that Lord Shand is endowed with a good share of sound, practical, common sense. If men who do not agree on a certain matter meet with a disposition to give and take as far as is reasonable, and if they have perfect confidence that neither wishes or intends to take an unfair advantage of the other, the chances are, in fact the certainty is, that if an amicable agreement is within the bounds of possibility, they will, before very long, arrive at such an agreement. Men who feel well towards each other and who believe in each other do not require a compulsory law to settle any differences that may arise between them. Without this confidence and this good understanding it is nearly, if not quite, impossible to arrive at a friendly settlement, no matter what may be the nature of the law.

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The next Medical Examination of the B. C. Medical Council will be held in the City of Victoria, ON TUESDAY, THE FIRST DAY MAY NEXT, at 9 o'clock a.m.

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G. L. MILNE,
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May 1—Furniture sale. W. T. Henderson.
May 3—Mortgagee's sale. George Byrnes.
May 5—Mortgage sale. G. Byrnes.

THE CITY.

A PLEASANT entertainment in aid of St. Mark's church was held in the schoolroom yesterday evening.

THE B. C. Iron Works Co. v. Buse Milling Co. is set down for hearing in the Divisional court to-day.

THE funeral of little Loi Yuen, who committed suicide because she feared a whipping, took place yesterday.

AN information charging Daniel McBrady with harboring a vicious dog, was dismissed by Magistrate Macrae yesterday morning.

THE annual general meeting of the Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company will be held at Vancouver on Wednesday, May 2

THE regular fortnightly meeting of the Victoria Liberal Association, to be held at Philharmonic hall this evening, will be addressed by Mr. John McMillan upon "The Duties and Responsibilities of the Liberal party."

AN application on behalf of Begg in the case of Monteith v. Kerr & Begg, to set aside an order for substituted service and to set aside the writ of summons, was granted by Mr. Justice Crease yesterday. Mr. Belyea for Begg; Mr. Morphy contra.

AN enjoyable evening is promised to those who attend the "Talent Social" this evening in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, given by a number of the ladies of the congregation, who have provided an excellent musical and literary programme.

THE Styne Creek Gold Mining Company, Ltd., of Vancouver, has filed articles of incorporation, the capital stock being placed at $200,000 in $5 shares. The trustees named are Messrs. R. C. Campbell-Johnston, of Vancouver, J. H. Anthony, of Lytton, and N. P. Snowden, of this city.

BEFORE Mr. Justice Drake yesterday Edmund Hanna and Ada Grant, who were committed for trial for having stolen property in their possession, elected for speedy trial, which is fixed for Friday, May 4. Johnson, the lad, charged with attempting to commit suicide made a similar choice, his trial being fixed for the same day.

IN Chambers yesterday, before Mr. Justice Walkem, application on behalf of the defendants in Foot and Carter v. Mason & Nicholles to strike out section 11 of plaintiff's amended statement, on the ground of embarrassment, was dismissed, with costs; defendant Nicholles to have till May 30 to present statement of claim. Mr. Dumbleton for plaintiff; Mr. Eberts, Q. C., for defendant Nicholles.

MR JOHN H. WARD, of Whatcom, who came here Tuesday in search of his stepson Willie Palmer, is now all but convinced that his previous fears were groundless and that the lad is still alive, the guest of the Kuper island Indians. The father left yesterday for Roche Harbor, whence he will proceed to Kuper island to effectively dispose of all doubts, and if his present expectations are realized, return the boy to his home and anxious mother.

IN the County court yesterday the case of Hall v. Birkett was tried before Mr. Justice Drake sitting as a County court judge. This was a case in which Dr. F. W. Hall sued the defendant for a bill of $69 for professional services. A counter claim was put in by the defendant for $250 damages against Dr. Hall for alleged malpractice and neglect in attendance upon defendant's wife during confinement. The principal witness was Dr. Davie, whose evidence proved conclusively that there was no foundation for the counter claim. Judgment for plaintiff for full amount and costs—defendant being non-suited also on the counter claim. Mr. Belyea for plaintiff; Mr. H. E. A. Robertson for defendant.

THE Gazette of yesterday announces that: "Sealed tenders will be received by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to Monday, 21st May, for permission to lease the undermentioned lands for the purpose of cutting spars, timber, or lumber, subject to the provisions of the "Land Act" and amendments thereto, viz:—Lots 30, 31, 32, 33, 50, 51 and 52, Range 2, Coast District, containing in the aggregate 13,892 acres. The competitor offering the highest cash bonus will, subject to the fulfilment of the provisions of the "Land Act" and amendments, be entitled to the lease of the premises for a term of twenty-one years. Each tender must be accompanied by a certified bank check to cover the cost of survey, $1,642.70, the first year's rental, $1,389 20, and the amount of the bonus tendered; and if the person tendering is not the owner of a properly equipped saw-mill in some part of the Province appurtenant to the limits tendered for, he must enclose another certified check for $1,389 20, as a guarantee for the erection of a suitable mill within two years. The checks will be at once returned to unsuccessful competitors.

AT the next regular Council meeting, Ald. Harris will ask permission to introduce a by-law regulating the management of Ross Bay cemetery, and repealing the old by-law. The chief reason that induces Ald. Harris to take this move is to place the direction and care of the cemetery more directly in the city's hands, and to do away with the somewhat unsatisfactory state of things now existing. At present people who wish to have their lots properly looked after hire someone to do the work of trimming the grass, planting flowers and keeping the graves in order. This has led to a very unseemly rivalry between some of the gardeners, and complaints have been frequently made that by the use of salt and in other ways some men have endeavored to spoil the attempts of other gardeners to beautify lots that they were paid to look after. The new by-law will propose a certain scale of fees for lots, etc., the city to have entire charge of the cemetery, and people desiring their lots cared for in any particular way to order the work done at the City Hall and pay for it there. Another thing intended is to enable the city to give a proper title to lots.

THE City Council hold a special meeting in the Mayor's room this afternoon at 4 o'clock, when the tenders for summer uniforms for the police will be considered.

IT IS reported that Rev. George W. Taylor, rector of St. Barnabas', has been appointed to the charge of the parish of St. Alban's, Nanaimo, being succeeded in St. Barnabas' by Rev. B. Haslam of Salt Spring Island.

FOR his theft of $34 from the Central drug store, George Garland was yesterday sentenced to one month's imprisonment by the city Police Magistrate, who had been asked to dispose of the matter summarily, Garland pleading guilty.

THE court of revision for the purpose of hearing and determining all complaints against the assessment of 1894, as made by the assessor of the city of Victoria, will be held at the City Hall on Wednesday, the 30th May, at 10 o'clock in the morning.

THE Victoria cricket club are to have a practice match to-morrow, and no doubt there will be a good turnout of members. Wallis is giving great satisfaction, and a fresh impetus seems to have come over the club, the membership increasing rapidly and practices well attended.

AT the adjourned vestry meeting of St. John's church last evening, the following officers were elected: Sidesmen, Messrs. R. Seabrook, A. C. Flumerfelt, D. R. Ker, E. Pearson, A. L. Belyea and E. White; church committee, Messrs. R. Seabrook, E. Pearson and D. R. Ker; rector's warden, Mr. Joshua Holland; people's warden, Mr. Henry Saunders.

JAMESON v. VERBIEST was decided in favor of the plaintiff by Mr. Justice Drake sitting as a County court judge yesterday. Some time ago Jas. Beale, a steward on one of the warships on this station, assigned, J. C. Jameson being appointed trustee. Verbiest had in his possession three diamond rings upon which he had advanced Beale money, and one of these rings has since been sold. The action was brought by Jameson as trustee to replevin the rings. The judge held that the sale to Verbiest was conditional, and that the trustee was entitled to two of the rings, subject to the advance, and $30, the value of the third ring. Mr. Walls for plaintiff; Mr. Morphy for defendant.

THE general committee in charge of the Odd Fellows' celebration on Saturday meet this evening to perfect the arrangements for the day. Great interest is being taken in the affair in other places, and besides excursions from the Mainland and Island the Port Angeles Odd Fellows have written to say they are going to attend to the number of thirty. Vancouver and Westminster contingents will arrive by the Premier this evening; the Princess Louise will have on board another big detachment from Ladner's and the lower Fraser to-morrow afternoon, and special trains on the E. & N. will bring a large representation of the lodges on the Island. The Port Angeles brethren will arrive at noon to-morrow by the Garland.

THE harbor thieves who a few months ago made themselves unpleasantly conspicuous by their depredations, are again at work, evidently having grown bolder during their brief retirement from public notice. During Wednesday night—sometime between 6 o'clock that evening and 10 yesterday morning—the well-known yacht Fawn disappeared from her moorings in the outer harbor, and Mr. William R. Marshall, her owner, reported to the police yesterday that she had been stolen. The Fawn is a sloop-rigged craft of several tons register, decked in, and with a comfortable cabin. She is at present painted black, with lead-colored water line and white cabin; her length is 25 feet or thereabouts, and her beam eight feet. Suspicion points to two well known characters who have previously "done time" and who were seen on board the Fawn Wednesday night.

AS ANNOUNCED yesterday morning in the COLONIST, orders have been received at Esquimalt from the Admiralty, directing Capt. May, of H.M.S. Hyacinth, the senior officer of the station to send a vessel north to warn the coast sealers to cease operations on April 30. In consequence, H.M.S. Pheasant, Lieutenant-Commander Blair, was notified to proceed at once along the coast on this duty, and after completing provisioning she sailed last night for Nanaimo, whence she will go to the West coast under sealed orders which will be opened when she gets out of the straits. On Saturday H. M. S. Hyacinth leaves for Comox, and after coaling there proceeds to Behring Sea where she is to assist in patrolling during the sea-Capt. Grant, Capt. Warren, Messrs. E B Marvin, Geo Monroe, R. Hall and Capt. Hackett, representing the sealers, went out to Esquimalt yesterday forenoon to interview Capt. May, and give him what information they could in regard to the whereabouts of the coast sealers. The schooner owners have forwarded on the Pheasant letters to the captains of the sealers directing them to cease operations on April 30 and return at once to port. Collector Milne gave Capt. May yesterday a list of all sealing vessels now out from this port, whether on the Coast or in Japanese waters. There are, including several small Indian vessels, 23 schooners now operating on the Coast and one of the sealers said yesterday that very few of these would enter Behring Sea this season. The schooners on the Japanese Coast are also expected to cease operations about the end of June, when they have completed their trip along the Japanese Coast. They will then return home. The Pheasant is likely to come across most of the sealers somewhere between Queen Charlotte Islands and Cross Sound. Capt. Gaudin, agent of the Marine department, has received a dispatch from Sir Charles Tupper of the decision of the Imperial Government, in regard to sending out a warning to sealers, and asking him to inform those interested.

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The "Quadra" at the Halibut Grounds—Chinese Deported—An Abandoned Sloop.

An un-named 24-foot sloop supposed to be owned in this city, drifted ashore at Lopez island a few days ago with all sails set, but with no one on board. A quantity of woman's clothing was found in the cabin, (and with the boat) has been taken possession of by Mr. C. G. Chadwick of Lopez island, from whom the owner can secure his property.

There were 42 Chinese passengers on board the steamship Mogul who not being allowed to disembark here or on the Sound were deported Wednesday morning. It is not known yet how many of those taken to Portland on the Islander have gained admission to the United States, but it is thought that the majority were landed.

The steamer Quadra which left for Vancouver early in the week, on work in connection with the Fisheries, has gone to the Northern end of the island where the halibut fishing grounds are situated. The exact nature of the work the Quadra is prosecuting is not known, nor is it probable that it will be until the steamer returns.

An attempt was made to seize the steamer Lois at Vancouver, Wednesday. The Captain is said to have resisted the bailiff, and will be charged with that offence.

Steamer Coquitlam leaves for Haddington Island, to-day, for stone for the Government buildings.

Steamer Maude took a load of naval supplies around to Esquimalt yesterday.

Steamship Danube sails for the North on Tuesday evening next.

The Empress of India arrived in Hongkong on Tuesday.

ENTERED.

Str. Premier.....from Vancouver.
" City of Seattle..... " Port Townsend.
" Daisy ..... " Chemainus.

CLEARED.

Str. Premier..... for Vancouver.
" City of Seattle..... " Port Townsend.
" Daisy..... " Chemainus.
" Coquitlam ..... " Haddington Isld.

THE first Raymond excursion party to visit Victoria this season will arrive from Seattle to-morrow. Numerically the party is small, there being in all but twelve members, in charge of Mr. H. G. Hutchins. It is not known yet how long the party will remain here.

THE steamer Coquitlam, which last evening left for Haddington island for a stone cargo, carries up twelve men and some new machinery to put in operation the two additional derricks that were sent up on the last trip. A stock of provisions was also shipped yesterday, the proprietors being determined to have ample machinery upon the ground to make the quarry one of the finest north of San Francisco.

A. D. WHITTIER and wife, of Barkerville, are among the guests at the Dallas, having arrived last evening direct from Cariboo. The mercury when they left home registered "zero" and there was five feet of snow on the level. Of course until this has disappeared little can be done in the way of mining operations, which promise to be prosecuted with unexampled vigor this summer, at Williams creek (in which Mr. Whittier is more particularly interested), Slough creek, the lower Quesnelle and Horse-fly creek. Mr. Whittier is down on business at present, in connection with which he will go over the Sound this evening.

A DISPUTE over the possession of furniture purchased on the instalment plan is liable to be productive of interesting proceedings in the Provincial police court this morning. Several instalments, it is explained, were due and an agent of the firm interested was sent to collect the money or remove the furniture, under an agreement signed at the time of the sale. The lady of the house stood at bay and refused to deliver either money or goods, emphasizing her decision with an axe and a shotgun—the latter in the hands of her son. The collector felt himself somewhat embarrassed and retired. The scene of the episode is on the Esquimalt road.

THE various committees to arrange the Queen's Birthday celebration are getting down to work in good shape, and the permanent secretary, Mr. Beaumont Boggs, is energetically engaged looking after the many details that demand attention. The printing committee met in the City Hall last evening, Lt.-Col. Wolfenden in the chair; Mr. D. Cartmel was added to the committee. Tenders having been opened by the secretary, it was decided to secure 500 large posters from the COLONIST as soon as the necessary matter is ready. The secretary was instructed to call for tenders for the publication of the official programme, and Messrs. Munn and Cuthbert were appointed to draw up the conditions. It was decided to ask the finance committee for the sum of $250 for printing and advertising purposes. The committee adjourned until after the next general committee meeting. The regatta committee meets this evening. The finance committee started yesterday to canvass for subscriptions, and met with gratifying success.

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Paris Lumps, in bbls. or 100-lb. bags	5⅝c. do.	10-gal. Kegs	5¾ do
Granulated do do	4½c do.	5-gal. do	$2.00 each
Yellows, according to quality, do	3¾ to 4½ do.	1-gal. Tins	$4.25 per case of 10
100-lb. kgs, ½c more, ½-bbls, ½c more, bxs, ½c more		½-gal. do	5.75 do 20

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INCOME	Received for Premiums	$33,594,337 98	
	From all other sources	8,358,807 70	$41,953,145 68
DISBURSEMENTS	To Policy-holders	$20,885 472 40	
	For all other accounts	9 484 567 47	$30,370,039 87
ASSETS	United States Bonds and other Securities		$72,936,322 41
	First Lien Loans on Bond and Mortgage		70,729,938 93
	Loans on Stocks and Bonds		7,497,200 00
	Real Estate		13,089,918 69
	Cash in Banks and Trust Companies		10,844,691 72
	Accrued Interest, Deferred Premiums, &c		6 609,608 39
			$186 707,680 14
	Reserve for Policies and other Liabilities		168,755,071 23
SURPLUS			$17,952,608 91
INSURANCE	Insurance and Annuities, assumed and renewed		$708,692,552 40
	Insurance in Force		802,867,478 00

Increase in Payments to Policy-holders	$ 1 498,939 94
Increase in Surplus	2,784,374 97
Increase in Assets	11 623,523 53
Increase in Insurance in Force	57,087,395 00

NOTE—Insurance merely written is discarded from this Statement as wholly misleading, and only insurance actually issued and paid for in cash is included.

I have carefully examined the foregoing Statement and find the same to be correct.
CHARLES A. PRELLER, Auditor.

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OUR NEIGHBORS' NEWS.

A New System for Aldermanic Elections—Customs Officers and Police for Alaska.

Toronto's Mayor to Be Boycotted—Colony for Casual Poor—Niagara Park.

St. John, N. B., had on April 17 elections of mayor and aldermen on the principle then first put in operation in that city of the electors in all the wards voting for the full number of aldermen as well as for the mayor. The aldermanic candidates, however, were nominated as representatives of single wards, with the exception of two styled "aldermen at large," but the constituency of these two, so far as the voting was concerned, was precisely the same as all the rest. The new system of voting interfered to a very slight extent with the election of the men most popular in the wards they were anxious to represent, for only two out of the thirteen wards will be nominally represented by men who polled a minority of the votes there, while securing majorities in the city as a whole. The Sidney ward representative polled 2,313 in the city, against 1,182 for his opponent, while in the ward the unsuccessful candidate with 94 votes was 8 ahead of the man elected. The voting for the Dufferin ward representative, stood 1,959 to 1,555 in the city, and 71 to 204 in the ward, whose nominal representative thus polled only one-third of the votes cast there. There were only two candidates nominated for each ward, and for the two positions of "aldermen at large" there were five candidates. The Telegraph says:

The civic elections which were held yesterday differed in many important respects from any that had previously taken place in this city. The old system by which elections were held of representatives of wards by the voters of each ward had been entirely done away with, and every voter had a right to say not only who should represent his own ward but who should represent all the other wards in the city. The plan put forward by the Tax Reduction Association, and adopted by a vote of the citizens, reduced the number of aldermen from 26 to 15—one to represent each of the 13 wards of the city, and two who are designated aldermen at large. The Common Council will, therefore, hereafter, be a much smaller body than it has been at any period since the city was founded, and the work devolving on the aldermen as well as their responsibility will be increased.

ALASKAN AFFAIRS.

An Ottawa despatch to the Toronto Empire says, C. H. Hamilton, of Fort Cudahy, Alaska, secretary and assisting manager of the North American Transportation and Trading Company, was in the city to-day in the interests of this organization. The company practically controls all the trade of Alaska, and has steamers plying on the Yukon river from its mouth for 1,900 miles into the interior of the country. Three hundred miles of the river are supposed to be in Canadian territory. Mr. Hamilton has just arrived from Washington, where he interviewed the authorities there, and urged that steps be taken towards placing customs officials in the interior of Alaska, and has secured a promise that this will be done. He is desirous of securing the placing of customs and inland revenue officers in Canadian territory by the Dominion Government, and also that a detachment of mounted police be sent there to enforce order. He left for Chicago to-night, where he will have an interview with Gen. Schofield, of the United States army, in reference to the internal affairs of Alaska, preparatory, it is thought, to the United States placing troops in the country. The question which Mr. Hamilton has brought before the Dominion Government is not a new one. From time to time the British Columbia members have represented to the Ministry the advisability of taking steps towards enforcing law on that section of the Yukon which runs through Canadian soil. Dr. Bompas, bishop of Selkirk, whose headquarters are on the Upper Yukon river, recently wrote a letter to Hon. Mr. Daly, in which he strongly urged that steps be taken towards preventing traders from carrying liquor into the country, as it is working great havoc amongst the Indians and rendering fruitless the labors of the missionaries. Dr. Bompas says that unless some steps be taken with this end in view he is afraid that he will have to withdraw from that district.

VISITORS TO NIAGARA.

Toronto Telegram: Supt. Wilson, of the Queen Victoria Niagara Falls Park, reports that 543,924 people visited the park in 1893, which is an increase of more than double the number of visitors in the previous year. The receipts at the park from visitors and rental of privileges for the year amounted to $18,965. The expenditure for maintenance for the park amounted to $16,116. The Niagara Falls Park and River railway company pays an annual rental of $10,000, and the elevator, refreshment booth, photographic and other privileges that produce the income are held on a lease for ten years at $8,200 a year. Over 150,000 visitors came to the park over the electric railway, and out of the fares collected therefrom the company paid the rental. The commissioners express the believe that all charges for interest on capital account and maintenance may soon be met from the revenues of the park.

TORONTO'S CASUAL POOR.

Toronto Star: The House of Industry, at its meeting yesterday, appointed a committee to make enquiries into the question of establishing a labor colony for the casual poor in connection with the House of Industry, and to report at a meeting of the board on September 1. Principal MacMurchy was the mover and Canon Cayley the seconder of the motion. Mr. MacMurchy explained that his idea was to establish a large labor colony for the purpose of giving employment to tramps. They are to remain in the colony until they are fitted to become citizens.

BALLOONING FOR LOST SOUNDS.

Thomas S. Baldwin, the aeronaut and gymnast, connected with the Ballooning Department of the Signal Service and War Departments, has been ordered to Boston, where he will conduct a series of interesting and important experiments in aeronautics. Vessels approaching Boston can be heard through their fog horns fifteen miles out at sea, but when within three miles of shore the sound of the fog-horn whistle is absolutely lost. The question is, Where does the sound go? It is proposed to investigate the upper atmosphere at a distance of 3,000 feet in the hope of ascertaining whether the sounds from the whistles and fog-horns do not go upward, as Mr. Baldwin believes such sounds do. A monster balloon will be anchored to a Government vessel, and will be allowed to ascend to any required distance by means of a wire cable worked by steam. The vessel will cruise about off Boston and neighboring points to a distance of ten to fifteen miles, and sounds will be made from whistles and fog-horns. When within three or four miles of shore it is believed that the aeronaut in the balloon can ascertain whether the sound in getting lost ascends. In the coil of wire that is attached to the balloon is a telephone wire, by means of which Baldwin will communicate with officials on board the ship. Major Livermore, of the Government service, with his staff, will assist the aeronaut in this work, which will possibly last some months, and perhaps a year.

FLYING MACHINE IN COURT.

Toronto Telegram: Perhaps no more interesting exhibit was ever filed in a Toronto court than that carried in and spread out over Clerk Howard's box. It was a model of H. G. T. Glazebrook's flying machine, looking very much like a miniature monitor. It consists of a steamer-like body, with two paddle wheels, an expansive rudder and an immense double bag over it to be inflated with air and gas. The machinery is simple in arrangement and construction, the wheels working independently and made to revolve by a spring wound up like a clock. This spring is used only in the model; an engine will take its place when the thing goes through the air. It was brought in for His Honor's inspection in a suit brought against Glazebrook by Thomas Shea, who had a claim of $68.50 against the invention for work done on this model and material supplied, besides time occupied "in thinking it out." Glazebrook said that the work was not done well, for the thing wouldn't work after it came from Shea's hands. The machine stood on the desk, without flying away, for two long hours, while the case was being tried. Then the judge allowed Shea $20 on his claim.

BOYCOTTING A MAYOR.

Toronto Star: At the meeting of the hotelkeepers several weeks ago, it was suggested that a boycott be declared against the firm of Sampson, Kennedy & Co., on account of Mayor Kennedy's refusal to extend a welcome to the delegates. The suggestion did not take the form of a resolution, but it seems that a general boycott has been established by the 47 associations in the Province. In every town where there is an association the hotelkeepers have gone to the retail merchants and informed them that if they bought their goods from Sampson, Kennedy & Co., they would withdraw their trade. Further than this the travellers of the firm have been refused hotel accommodation in a great many towns upon the plea that every room in the house had been taken, when investigation proved that such was not the case.

STOCKING ALASKA WITH DEER.

St. Paul Pioneer Press: Dr. Sheldon Jackson, general agent of education in Alaska, passed through St. Paul Wednesday en route to join the revenue cutter Bear at Puget Sound. Dr. Jackson is under instructions from Washington to proceed on the Bear to Northeast Siberia for the purchase of additional reindeer to be added to the herd of 345 already established by him in Alaska. This is the beginning of an industry that is hoped will reclaim and make of commercial value the great frozen waters of Arctic Alaska, as well as provide a permanent industry for the Eskimo population of that region.

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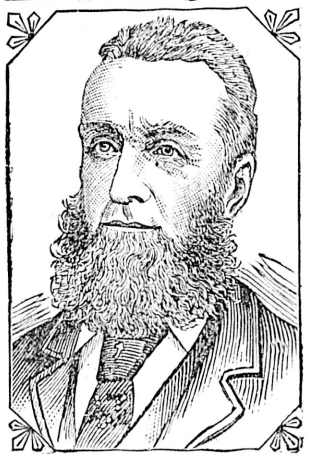

MR. GEO. READ.

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DEAR SIRS.—I write you to say that for some time I had been suffering from acute indigestion or dyspepsia, and of course felt very great inconvenience from same in my general business. I thereupon decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters, and after taking two bottles I found I was quite another man, for B. B. B. entirely cured me. I have also used it for my wife and family and have found it the best thing they can take, and from past experience I have every pleasure in strongly recommending B.B.B. to all my friends.

I write you because I think that it should be generally known what B. B. B. can accomplish in cases of indigestion.

Yours faithfully,
GEORGE READ,
Sherbrooke, Que.

NOTICE—DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between Samuel Kirschberg and Frederick Landsberg, carrying on business under the name and style of the Victoria Loan Office, at 133 Government street, Victoria, has been dissolved by mutual consent from the date hereof.

Mr. Frederick Landsberg will assume all liabilities and collect all assets of the late firm, and will continue the business on his own account under the name and style of the Victoria Loan Office.

Dated 14th April, 1894.

SAMUEL KIRSCHBERG.
(By his attorney in fact, Frederick Landsberg)
FREDERICK LANDSBERG.
Witness—S. PERRY MILLS. ap17-1m

ANNOUNCEMENT—

The undersigned wish to announce that they have purchased the book and stationery business lately conducted by Messrs. Kerr and Begg, at 45 Government St., and as heretofore "The Central Book Store" will be the headquarters for everything desirable in the book and stationery line. W. A. CODDINGTON & Co. ap3-1m

Estate of E. Bloomingdale, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims against the Estate are hereby required to send in the particulars thereof to the undersigned, on or before the 15th day of May next, after which date the Executors will distribute the assets of the Testator, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

All persons indebted to the said Testator, under the firm name of

C. STROUSS & CO.,

or otherwise, are required to pay their debts forthwith to the undersigned.

H. BLOOMINGDALE.
G. H. SEELIG,
Executors.
Office with Simon Leisor & Co., Victoria, B.C. ap11-1m

"HYDE FARM"

SHAWNIGAN DISTRICT

IS A MAGNIFICENT PROPERTY, containing 484 acres, suitable for mixed farming. A large portion of the Farm has formerly been cropped. There are large portions of it that are suitable for Grazing and Dairying Purposes. Now that Hops are likely to become one of B. C.'s profitable crops, a couple of hundred acres of Hyde Farm could be utilized for this purpose. The Farm is supplied with an abundance of water the year round, and water for power can be secured from the falls of the Koksilah River, which stream is the boundary line of the property on one side. Brick Clay, Lime Rock and Bog Iron Ore exist on the Farm, with the prospect of Coal also being discovered. There is plenty of Timber for all purposes, some of it of a merchantable character.

"HYDE FARM"

Is a short distance from the E. & N. Railway Line at either end of the property, and the Victoria and Nanaimo Wagon Road passes through it, therefore it is specially well located for shipping purposes. Excellent Shooting and Fishing is to be had on the property and in the Koksilah River. Deer, Grouse, Duck and Geese abound. In fact Hyde Farm is well located for all practical and pleasureable purposes, and is a chance not often met with for a man of moderate means to secure a small estate, which is sure to become extremely valuable, as the development of the Island progresses. In the meantime its utilization for Mixed Farming or Cattle Raising Purposes would bring in a fair income.

For further particulars, or
For Price and Terms, address
"HYDE FARM," Colonist Office.

REWARD.

A Reward of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) will be paid for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who, on or about the morning of the 13th inst., placed or caused to be placed or exploded, a bomb or other dangerous explosive on or near the premises of Alexander Sharp, at Wellington, in the County of Nanaimo.

Signed,
R. DUNSMUIR & SONS.
Victoria, B.C.
March 16th, 1894. mr17

$50 REWARD

Will be given to any person or persons giving such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of any party or parties destroying or injuring the newly planted shade trees in Beacon Hill Park, or wilfully damaging other Corporation property in said Park.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office,
23rd January, 1894. ja23

REWARD.

A reward of one thousand dollars ($1,000) will be paid by the Provincial Government for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons, who, on or about the morning of the 13th instant, placed or caused to be placed or exploded, a bomb or other dangerous explosive on or near the premises of Alexander Sharp, at Wellington, in the County of Nanaimo.

By Command,
F. S. HUSSEY,
Superintendent of Provincial Police.
Victoria, B.C., March 14th, 1894. mr15

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ja19 Puget Sound Agent Seattle.

LARDEAU

NORTHEAST ARM UPPER ARROW LAKE.

The Townsite Company have entered into a contract to build a wharf to deep water at lowest stage, at the foot of Victoria avenue. This will cost about $4000.

The C.P.R. Telegraph Company's line is built from Revelstoke to Nelson, Nakusp and Kaslo via LARDEAU CITY, and the office for the Lardeau and Fish Creek Districts is situated at LARDEAU CITY.

A Mining Recorder is stationed at LARDEAU—a convenience for the prospectors of this region. Many rich strikes have recently been made on Fish Creek, a few miles from LARDEAU. A steamer calls three times a week at LARDEAU.

The charter for the Lardeau & Kootenay Railroad has its commencement at LARDEAU CITY. This line will undoubtedly be built in the near future, as it is the only route to the famous Lardeau Mines on Trout Lake and the shortest and easiest pass to Kootenay Lake.

Prospectors and capitalists visiting the Lardeau Country will find the best Hotel Accommodation in West Kootenay at LARDEAU CITY. It is the entrance point to the Lardeau, Fish Creek and Duncan River Mines, and will save time, labor and money to prospectors who desire to visit these sections.

LARDEAU CITY has much in its favor. It is affected by the prevailing dullness at present, but its situation is such that it must become an important trading point, and grow into a considerable town.

Investors in West Kootenay should seek particulars about LARDEAU and the District tributary to it. Any information will be furnished upon application to the undersigned.

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TIME TABLE NO. 22
Takes effect November 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:
Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.
For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:
Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, Oct. 31st, 1893.

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" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m

For freight or state rooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Station, Store street. fe4

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GLANCE AT THIS MAP

Of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway and note its connections with all transcontinental lines at St. Paul and Omaha, and remember when going east that its trains are lighted with electricity and heated by steam. Its equipment is superb. Elegant Buffet, Library, Smoking, and Sleeping cars, with free reclining chairs. Each sleeping car berth has an electric reading lamp, and its dining cars are the best in the world. Some other lines are longer than this, but none are shorter, and no other offers the above luxurious accommodations. These are sufficient reasons for the popularity of "The Milwaukee." Coupon ticket agents in every railroad office will give you further information, or address

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A GOOD COMPLEXION.

MARY SCOTT ROWLAND TELLS HOW IT MAY BE SECURED.

Steaming the Face, Masks, Glycerin and Rosewater Strongly Condemned — Exhaustive Article by a Lady Who Knows All About It.

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AM often asked whether a good complexion is possible to all women, and to this question I unhesitatingly answer "Yes," but a good complexion, like any other valuable possessions, is not to be acquired or retained without patient effort and constant care. Women consult the dentist, the manicure, the hairdresser and the oculist for the preservation or improvement of the teeth, hair, eyes and hands, and no good reason can be brought forward to prove that she should not take at least equally wise care to preserve and improve her complexion, on which to so considerable an extent the general appearance depends. A piece of fine embroidery, a choice bit of mahogany or a delicate satin is tenderly cared for and quickly loses its beauty if neglected. So with the complexion.

"Beauty is but skin deep" is an old adage whose falsity has long since been proved. "Beauty is muscle deep" is the new aphorism whose truth cannot be denied, because when the muscles of the face become exhausted and shrink then trouble begins.

A great mistake is made in supposing that all complexions are alike and shoud receive the same kind of treatment. A wise woman finds out the nature of her complexion before she begins to improve it, and she begins when she is young to take care of it just, as she begins to take care of her teeth before they are in desperate need of the dentist's manipulations. To be the possessor of a good complexion, unless one's natural endowment in this particular be unusual, means daily attention and rational care, and after rejuvenating a neglected one you cannot throw away care of it as you throw away the empty bottles.

The wise women will discover what preparations are best suited to her need and will devote a few minutes daily to her complexion as willingly as she would to her teeth, finger nails or hair. She should remember that the face is more exposed to the ever changeable climatic conditions than any other portion of the body and consequently should receive greater care than any other.

Many preparations for the face, excellent in themselves, should be condemned when they are not suited to individual requirements. Each complexion has its strong as well as its weak points, and the same method of treatment cannot be universally recommended. Tincture of benzoin, a much lauded preparation, is particularly detrimental to many skins, especially to an oily one. The familiar preparation of glycerin and rosewater is positively harmful in a great majority of instances and will undoubtedly make the skin dry, yellow and leathery. Glycerin is infinitely better for internal than for external use. Many women say, "I never use anything in the nature of a cosmetic on my face, but a little prepared chalk." If they tell the truth, and some don't, the inevitable result is a dry, shriveled and sallow complexion, with the much dreaded so called "crow's feet."

Face masks, especially those made of rubber, are most deleterious in their effects upon the health and also upon the complexion. The face perspires under their influence and becomes so sensitive that on exposure to the outdoor air it is often attacked with neuralgia in its most distressing form. The impurities which exude from the skin while wearing the mask are retained on the rubber for a time and then taken back into the pores.

Steaming the face is a most pernicious and dangerous practice. It invites facial neuralgia and other more serious ailments, robs the skin of its natural oil, which but few can afford to part with, and unquestionably shrivels the skin, causing wrinkles to appear. Observe the hands of a washerwoman for a practical demonstration of this statement.

An impatient woman is with difficulty restrained from overdoing the matter when she first begins to care for her complexion. She is inclined to exhaust the muscles of the face by working them too much. I have seen a woman in the Turkish bath who rubs and rubs and rubs her face with cream, then steams and steams it until the vitality of muscular action is threatened, and while it is true that a good complexion cannot be acquired on relaxed muscles or impoverished tissues it does not necessarily follow that a good prescription cannot be abused by too generous application.

Diet and exercise are among the most important factors to be considered in securing a good complexion. Plenty of ripe fruit should be eaten, particularly an orange or grape fruit a half hour before breakfast. There is no better way to eat them than by squeezing out the juice as you would with a lemon. For lunch roast apples, a baked banana, stewed prunes, rhubarb or berries of any kind will be found healthful. Grapes, apples, pears and pine apples are a good choice for dinner and can hardly be eaten in too great abundance.

A brisk walk of as long duration as possible without exhaustion every morning and afternoon and a 15 minutes' nap in the afternoon are highly recommended. Even if one cannot sleep in the daytime the recumbent position which induces relaxation and the brief rest obtained by closing the eyes are very helpful. The eyes may further be rested by the use of a narrow bandage of black surah silk of one thickness placed over them and fastened at the back by a safety pin, either at night or during the afternoon nap. By this precaution the changing light is not allowed to affect the susceptible organs of vision, and sounder sleep is induced. The bandage will also prove a great relief to aching eyeballs, which are liable to become somewhat strained as one gets older in an effort to see clearly. Also in sleep one is apt to dream and frown and change the facial expression so as to induce wrinkles, and the surah bandage prevents this in a great measure. If the color comes off from the bandage, it may be lined.

An endless variety of soaps is to be found in the market, and even of castile, which we have been accustomed to consider reliable in all its forms, there are now innumerable grades and qualities. A sensible woman will exercise as much discretion in the selection of soaps and preparations for her face as she would in consulting a dentist or an oculist. Soaps should be carefully made and of the best material. A thoroughly well made soap of the finest ingredients cannot be sold at a low price. Like everything else manufactured, quality and labor must be considered and paid for. Something depends on the season of the year in which a soap is made, for during the summer the fats used are sometimes rancid, and skin diseases result from the impurities applied to the face. Scented soaps are often deleterious, the perfume drying the oil and producing a scaly skin.

The best known soap for the complexion and hands is a genuine olive oil soap, which is almost odorless, but its faint odor is pleasant. It is a difficult matter to distinguish this soap from the castile unless you have them together for comparison. On account of the high price of the olive oil soap it is not readily found, dealers contenting themselves with selling the several grades of castile which are apparently so much like it. One should be as careful about soaps used on the skin as about diet. With the olive oil soap and rainwater, which it is quite worth while to take pains to procure, one need have no fear of impurities.

Mme. Patti, the beauty and purity of whose skin are well known, cares for her complexion in this way: In the morning she rubs a little genuine olive oil soap on a soft cloth moistened in tepid water, and upon that she puts a little Patti rose cream, in order to counteract the natural effect of injury to the skin from impurities in the water, adding a few drops of face tonic. Then she washes her face as any other woman would with a Turkish toweling wash rag and puts on a little powder to complete her ablution. This she repeats after driving or whenever her face needs cleansing. At night, washing in this same manner, she after anoints her face with cream, which remains on during the night and causes the impurities of the skin to exude. She never uses a preparation which she has not had analyzed by a reputable chemist, and when sending an order for any soaps, creams or powder always adds, "Please omit scent." This care and delicate consideration for her complexion explain why the famous diva still retains her fresh and youthful appearance and probably will do so for many years to come. She considers it worth her while to use care and the best preparations to be obtained. And she thoroughly understands that if she were to take excellent care of her face for a week and then neglect it for several days, after the fashion of her less beautiful sisters, she would lose the effect of all her labor.

Under the delusive and much abused name of "facial massage" many specialists have treated their patients most unfairly by rubbing, pinching and twisting the delicate tissues of the face with no regard for their natural condition. Nothing but disappointment and disaster could follow such treatment, and while not wishing to arrogate to myself the possession of the only good treatment for complexion that is to be obtained I would carefully warn ladies against employing facial specialists

MARY SCOTT ROWLAND.

whose methods and preparations cannot be subjected to the test of reason and analysis. A good complexion may be ruined in a short time by illegitimate methods of treatment; a poor complexion has nothing to gain from it.

The importance of facial treatment and personal care of the complexion is regarded with increasing favor by ladies of all classes, and the sentiment which once prevailed of a certain contempt for those who, while carefully withstanding the encroachments of time in other directions, feared to merit criticism by attention to the face is largely a thing of the past. A good woman's influence is increased by an attractive appearance, as every one knows, and a fine, clear, smooth skin is one of the chiefest beauties of a woman's face.

Mary Scott Rowland.

NOTICES.

Legislative Electorates and Election Act, 1894.

ESQUIMALT ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons claiming to be registered as Voters under the provisions of the above Act, in order to have their names inserted in the Register of Voters for the Esquimalt Electoral District, must apply forthwith to the Collector of Voters at his office, Howard's Hotel, Esquimalt, where forms of application may be filled up.

British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, having resided in the Province of British Columbia for twelve months and in the said Electoral District for two months immediately previous to the date of application, and not being disqualified by and law in force in this Province are qualified to be registered.

Forms of application may be obtained at the office of the Collector, Howard's Hotel, Esquimalt.

Victoria, 5th April, 1891.

W. J. RANT,
Collector of Voters.

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Legislative Electorates and Election Act, 1894.

VICTORIA CITY ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons claiming to be registered as Voters under the provisions of the above Act, in order to have their names inserted in the Register of Voters for the Victoria City Electoral District, must apply forthwith to the Collector of Voters at his Office in the Court House Victoria, where forms of application may be filled up.

British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, having resided in the Province of British Columbia for twelve months and in the said Electoral District for two months immediately previous to the date of application, and not being disqualified by any law in force in this Province are qualified to be registered.

Forms of application may be obtained at the office of the Collector, Court House, Victoria.

Where the correct address of the residence is not given on the Voters List, or in the applications for enrollment filed prior to 21st March last, Voters are requested to send to the Collector a written order to change the same, or to call at the office of the Collector and have the necessary change made, as it is desirable to have the revised list as correct as possible.

Victoria, 31st March, 1891.

J. B. McKILLIGAN,
Collector of Voters

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Legislative Electorates and Elections Act, 1894.

VICTORIA CITY ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

The office of the Collector of Voters for the Victoria City Electoral District will be open daily (Sundays excepted) between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 4 p.m., Saturdays 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m.

For the convenience of those who cannot attend during the day for the purpose of registration, the office will be open in the evening between seven and nine o'clock on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Entrance to office by rear door of Court House on Bastion street.

J. B. McKILLIGAN,
Collector of Voters.

April 11th, 1894. ap12-tf

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance." from the 1st day of April, 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th March, 1894. fe10-td

Vancouver Island.

ALL placer claims and leaseholds in Vancouver Island and adjacent islands legally held may be laid over from the 15th day of November, 1893, until the 1st day of June, 1894.

F. G. VERNON,
Gold Commissioner.

Victoria, B.C., 6th December, 1893. fe10-td

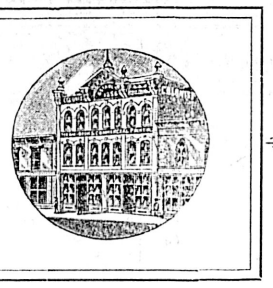
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Monday, 30th instant, for the erection of a Court House, at Chilliwhack.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of S. Mollard, Chilliwhack, at the Government Office, New Westminster, and at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 10th April, 1894. ap12-td



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TIME TABLE No. 20,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, Apr l 27th 1894. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND (Read Down.) No. 2 Pass'r. Daily		No. 4 Pass'r. Fr.Sa.Su.		STATIONS.	Miles.	SOUTH BOUND (Read Up) No. 1 Pass'r. Daily		No. 3 Pass'r. Fr.Sa Su.	
	A.M.		P.M.				P.M.		P.M.
Do.	8.00	Do.	3.03	Victoria	73	Ar.	12.20	Ar.	2.00
"	8.04	"	3.16	Russells	71	"	12.10	"	7.48
"	8.14	"	3.26	Esquimalt	67	"	11.45	"	7.28
"	8.20	"	3.36	Goldstream	58	"	11.10	"	6.50
"	9.14	"	4.05	Summit Siding	50	"	10.50	"	6.37
"	9.34	"	4.27	Shawnigan Lake	43	"	10.27	"	6.15
"	9.44	"	4.37	Cobble Hill	40	"	10.17	"	6.05
"	9.57	"	4.49	McPherson's	38	"	10.12	"	6.00
"	10.07	"	4.59	Koksilah	35	"	10.09	"	5.55
"	10.12	"	5.04	Duncans	33	"	10.03	"	5.52
"	10.23	"	5.12	Somenos	29	"	9.55	"	5.22
"	10.28	"	5.19	Chemainus	19	"	9.15	"	5.15
"	11.00	"	6.40	Oyster Bay Siding		Do.	8.34	"	4.42
Ar.	11.50	"	6.22	Nanaimo	6	Ar.	8.25		
Do.	11.59					Do.	8.10	Do.	4.30
Ar.	12.14	Ar.	6.31	Wellington	73				
	P.M.		P.M.		Miles.		A.M.		P.M.

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4.45 am	110	Ar. *...Tacoma.....Lv	M1	8.00 am

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The Colonist.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1894.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, April 27, 1894.

Sun rises.... 4:45 a.m. | Sun sets .... 7:09 p.m.
Moon rises... 1.57 a.m. | Moon sets...10:03 a.m.
Day of year—117th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, April 25, 1894.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m	44°	Mean 54°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	40°		
9 a. m..	58°	Highest 69°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	67°		1 p.m.—12 N.
5 p. m..	56°	Lowest 40°	9 p.m.—24. S.
9 p. m..	60°		Rain—

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Sunshine—5h. 47m.

ESQUIMALT STATION, April 26, 1894.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	52°	Mean 48°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	46°		
9 a. m..	46°	Highest 49°	5 a.m.—12 S.
1 p. m..	48°		1 p.m.—Calm.
5 p. m..	47°	Lowest 45°	9 p.m.—Calm
9 p. m..	46°		Rain—0.82

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. CITY OF SEATTLE, from the Sound—E Wilson, E Rand, W D Porter, Jas Wright, W S Reid, A Bond, Mrs Knoll, Miss Painter, W J Macaulay, S C Lewis, S G Yerkes, Mr A Painter, G J Copewell, Chas Fritz, Mrs S G Yerkes, R McKane, A W C Williams, J J Hayward, P Jones, F H Stanton, J E Parr, G Henderson, Jno Baker, J C Bower, J C Calbreath, Geo Taylor, H W Holden, C Rice, C Croakes.

Per Steamer PREMIER from Vancouver—W Whitman, J Yual, Mrs King, R D Trevor, J A Teporten, Capt Jones, Justice McCreight, A J McColl, Jno Wilson, R H Alexander, J E Miller, H Bell-Irving, A D Whittier, L M Lapointe, A E Addison, G W Eaton, F B Johnston, R Jefferee, W A Somerset, H F W Rhusen, E Escalett, A A Sandeman, W Williams, Geo Brigham, P Wollaston, Mrs Wollaston, Miss Wollaston.

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BRAGG—On the 25th instant, at his residence on Richmond road, W. L Bragg, a native of Devonshire, Eng., aged 53 years and 13 days. Due notice of funeral will be given.

PERSONAL.

A. A. Sandeman is in town.

W. Wheeldon is quartered at the Hotel Victoria.

Arthur Poole, of the Carswell Publishing Co. Toronto, is in town.

Captain Jones returned home by the Premier yesterday evening.

W. A. Somerset and Geo. Bringham, of London, are at the Driard.

James Wright, a Tacoma cattle dealer, is a guest at the New England.

E. Escalet and H. F. W. Behnsen arrived back from the Mainland last night.

A. J. McColl, R. H. Alexander and H. Bell-Irving are over from Vancouver.

Hon. Justice McCreight arrived over from Vancouver yesterday and is at the Oriental.

John Collins, a Seattle real estate agent and property owner, is at the Hotel Victoria.

P. A. Paulson, a prominent lumber merchant on the Sound, is a guest at the New England.

A. D Whittier and wife, of Barkerville, and James E. Miller, of Vancouver, are guests at the Dallas.

C. E. Stevenson, one of the proprietors of the Stanley dry goods house, Nanaimo, is at the New England.

Percy and Mrs. Wollaston and Miss Wollaston were passengers to Victoria by the Mainland boat last evening.

W. J. McPhillips, of Vancouver, and John Wilson, of the Brunette sawmill, Westminster, are at the Driard.

S. G. Yerkes, general agent of the P. S. & A. S. S. Co. at Seattle, accompanied by his bride, arrived here last night by the Seattle.

Geo. S. Taylor, district passenger agent Wisconsin Central Railway Co. at Portland, Ogn., came over last night and went on to Vancouver.

A. W. C. Williams and G. J. Capewell, who are interested in some large manufacturing concerns in Hartford, Conn., are, in company with E. C. Lewis, of Waterbury, stopping at the New England.

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Odd Fellows of the Continent Celebrate the Foundation of Their Society.

Imposing Demonstrations at San Francisco—History and Statistics of the Order.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 26—This is the great day of the Odd Fellows' jubilee, which the order has been celebrating in this city since Monday last. The grand parade in regalia took place this morning, and the exercises of the day were held at the exposition grounds this afternoon, followed by a grand prize drill of the Patriarchs Militant for a silver trophy. The skies were overcast during the early hours of the morning, and shortly after the procession started for the exposition grounds a light rain commenced to fall. The column was in five divisions, under command of George H. Black, with J. W. Harris as chief, and despite the unpleasant weather made an imposing demonstration. It moved out of Golden Gate avenue to the park, where it was joined by the Rebekah Degree lodges, commanded by Mrs. Carrie Warner, and the two bodies marched into the exposition grounds together.

The attendance at the fair grounds was good but not so good as it would have been had it been a pleasant day. The procession passed around the grand court at the fair grounds to Festival Hall, where the exercises were held. The capacity of the hall was taxed to accommodate the Odd Fellows and other visitors. The exercises opened with an address of welcome by Director de Young. This was responded to by Grand Patriarch L. W. S. Downs, who said complimentary things of the Fair and its management, and expressed the appreciation of the members of his order at the reception extended to them. The Grand Patriarch was followed by Governor Markham and Grand Master J. F. Thompson, and there was music by Cassasia's band. After the exercises there was a prize drill by the Patriarchs Militant, followed by a dress parade.

To-day all over the continent was specially observed, for the million members of the order in North America are celebrating the seventy-fifth anniversary of the foundation of the society by that notable Englishman, Thomas Wildey, the carriage spring maker, who organized the first lodge in Baltimore 75 years ago. The growth of this society in America is startling. It is probable that the growth of the order in the United States far exceeds the most sanguine hopes of Thomas Wildey, although it is said that his enthusiasm was contagious, and that he was a born organizer. He certainly must have been or else some very fortunate circumstances have attended the growth of the order of which he was the founder in America, for there are more persons joining it to-day than ever before in its history. Massachusetts alone has nearly 50,000 members, 5,000 of whom joined during the past year, and many other States in the Union had fully as many to their credit last year. The new State of Washington has already nearly a membership of 15,000. The order appears to have its greatest growth in the North and West, and the men who join it cannot be called the wealthy class; they represent, rather, the bone and sinew of the country, the great middle class of business men, mechanics and artisans.

The real estate held by this organization probably exceeds $20,000,000 in value and there is scarcely a town in the country which has not its Odd Fellows' building. In many of the cities these are immense structures and show keen business instinct in their location and construction, for they usually represent a paying investment, with the exception of the homes and hospitals, which are maintained for unfortunate members and their wives and families at the expense of State jurisdictions. The total revenue of the order for the past year was $8,609,130-93 and the total relief extended was $3,350,-456.84.

American Odd Fellowship, or what is known as the I. O. O. F., sprang from what is now known as the Manchester Unity, the English Order of Odd Fellows. When the order was originally started in England it was more in the interests of a "jolly good time" with jolly good fellows, who swapped stories on a Saturday night. Undoubtedly the lodges were a necessity of the period. During the latter part of the last century, however, in England many of those who had been initiated into the then languishing Odd Fellows' lodges perceived in them the germs of a nobler institution, but it was not until 1813 that their ideas took definite shape. In that year a convention was held at Manchester, England, and several lodges formally seceded and formed the "Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Manchester Unity, Friendly Society." The men at the head of the new order were earnest, active and intelligent, and by dint of hard work and wise legislation they laid the foundation of what is now a flourishing society, to which a number of lodges in this country at the present day owe their allegiance.

The entire body of American Odd Fellows were allied more or less closely to this organization until 1843, when nearly all the lodges severed their connection with it and called themselves the "Independent Order of Odd Fellows." Thomas Wildey has been called the "founder and father" of American Odd Fellowship, and his history is really the history of the rise of the order in America. Through his efforts the first lodge of Odd Fellows was instituted April 26, 1819, at the Seven Stars tavern, and was called Washington lodge No. 1. Soon after this Wildey met the man who shaped his crudeness, directed his energy and developed his qualities of leadership—the man to whom the order of Odd Fellows owes fully as much if not more than it does to Thomas Wildey. That man was James L. Ridgely, the counterpart and complement of Wildey.

Ridgely was a native American, who was born and bred in cultivated circles. He was educated and refined, and in all respects, apparently, the opposite of Wildey. At an early age he was a member of the civic council of Baltimore, a member of the house of delegates, registrar of wills, president of the board of education, and practically the founder of the present school system of Baltimore. He was a lawyer of standing and was appointed collector of revenue under Lincoln, which position he retained under Johnson.

The Grand Lodge was called the "Grand Lodge of Maryland and the U. S. Independent Order of Odd Fellows," and worked under that title until 1825, when it was changed to the "Grand Lodge of the United States." In 1878 the name was changed to "The Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F.," and in 1879 the present title of "The Sovereign Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F." was adopted. This lodge grants charters to State grand lodges and they in turn institute subordinate lodges. The Massachusetts grand lodge was organized June 11, 1823. The New York grand lodge was instituted during the same month and Pennsylvania lodge was also started the same month, all by Thomas Wildey. There were a few subordinate lodges chartered by these grand lodges during the next two years, but in February, 1825, they were but nine lodges, with less than 500 members, in the United States. In 1830 the number of subordinate lodges had increased from nine to fifty-eight. In 1869 the annual session of the order was held in San Francisco, and the representatives, from nearly every Eastern State, were the first to ride as an organized body across the continent by rail. On April 2 of the same year the semi-centennial of Odd Fellowship was celebrated in the city of Philadelphia with appropriate ceremonies at the Academy of Music, and by a most imposing procession of the brotherhood, numbering not less than 30,000 members and forming a continuous line not less than ten miles in length.

The encampment, or militant, branch has become an important factor in the order. Prior to 1827 it was unknown, but on May 15 of that year a charter was granted to "Encampment lodge No. 1," in Maryland. This was soon after known as the "Encampment of Patriarchs." In 1870 it was voted by the sovereign grand lodge that the members of the encampments should wear a distinct uniform in all street parades, and in 1880 the uniformed degree was instituted. In 1885 the name "patriarchs militant" was substituted for the "uniformed degree," and its members were called "chevaliers." In 1888 the patriarchs militant established an army headquarters at Chicago with a lieutenant general at its head. This headquarters was abolished at the last session of the sovereign grand lodge as a expensive luxury, and the power is now vested in the grand sire of the sovereign grand lodge as supreme commander, and each state jurisdiction regulates its own affairs.

"The "canton" is the unit of organization of this military degree. To be eligible a brother must be a patriarch of the royal purple degree. There are now about 3,000 encampments, with nearly 150,000 members and 500 cantons with about 75,000 members for chevaliers.

In 1851 the degree of Rebekah was instituted and the wives of Odd Fellows who were in good standing and had attained the scarlet, or third degree, were eligible. On September 25, 1868, it was voted at the annual session to authorize and empower the grand lodges to institute degree lodges to the Daughters of Rebekah within their territorial limit; and that they might confer the degree of Rebekah on scarlet members and their wives and also upon widows of Odd Fellows, whether or not scarlet degree members. All degree lodges were to consist of at least 10 members, five of each sex. This has since been altered and five members are all that is now necessary. Five years later, 1873, it was voted to admit daughters (over 18 years of age) of scarlet degree members in good standing, and also the daughters of members who died in good standing. In 1880 unmarried sisters of Odd Fellows of the degree of the Truth, if they were 18 years of age and white women, were made eligible. There are now over 2,000 lodges of the degree of Rebekah, with a membership of nearly 100,-000, all laboring faithfully for the success of this important auxiliary of the order.

THE James Bay and V.A.C. baseball teams will meet, for the first time in more than a year, on Beacon Hill, to-morrow afternoon. It will also be the first match of the season, and there will no doubt be much interest manifested in it by baseball enthusiasts. The teams will play a match on each Saturday following for three successive weeks, and the team winning the greatest number of games in the series is to compete against the Seattle team here during the 24th of May celebration.

IN accordance with the provisions of the "Labor conciliation and arbitration act" of the recent session, the government have by order in council prescribed very complete regulations for the procedure in the settlement of disputes. These have been published in the official gazette, in which they take up five pages, three being occupied by the schedules containing the drafts of the many official forms to be used in connection with the appointment of arbitrators and the acceptance of their awards. A scale of fees is also provided for.

POSTMASTER NOAH SHAKESPEARE occupied the chair at the concert given in the school room of the Centennial Methodist church last evening. The programme was almost solely by the choir of the church, under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Rowlands, the various numbers being as follows: Glee, choir; song, "Death of Nelson," Mr. Clement Rowlands; song, "Darby and Joan," Mrs. Rowlands; quartette, "There was an Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe," Mr. and Mrs. Rowlands, Miss Humber and Mr. Sheddan; song, "The Ash Grove," Miss Humber; chorus, choir; glee, choir; song, "The Flight of Ages," Mr. Sheddan; song "On the Banks of Allan Water," Mrs. Rowlands; quartette, Miss Anderson, Miss Humber and Messrs. Rowlands and Sheddan; duet, "Larboard Watch," Messrs. Sheddan and Rowlands; and chorus, choir. The concert, considering the disagreeable evening was well attended.

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A FINAL REPLY.

For the public information, I would state in regard to Mr. G. G. Bigger's assertion in his letter to me in the Daily Times of Wednesday last, that I had "never heard of a public meeting being called by the representatives of 'Assessment institutions' before in my life," that in the winter of 1891 I was present at such a meeting, held in the Bolton Town Hall, Lancashire, England. The meeting was promoted and freely advertised in the public press beforehand by the representatives of The Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association of New York (one of the largest "Assessment institutions" in the world). The tone of Mr. G G. Bigger's letter is such that I must decline to take any further notice of him.

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